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## FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

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### BARBADOS.

#### *Report from Bridgetown—Yellow fever.*

The following is received from the Department of State, under date of December 29:

Consul at Barbados sent cablegram reading “Two fatal yellow fever cases just reported.”

### BRAZIL.

#### *Report from Rio de Janeiro—Inspection of vessels—Mortality—Plague and smallpox.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Stewart reports, November 28:

Two weeks ended November 28. Vessels inspected and received bills of health: November 16, the British steamship *Devonshire*, for New York, in coffee cargo, with no passengers and no change in the personnel of the crew; November 18, the British steamship *Heronspool*, for Sand Key, Fla., in water ballast, with no passengers and no change in the personnel of the crew; November 19, the British steamship *Teespool*, for Sand Key, Fla., in water ballast, with no passengers and no change in the crew personnel; November 21, the British steamship *Voltaire*, for New York, with 16 cabin and 13 steerage passengers, with no change in the crew personnel, and in cargo of coffee; on the same date the British steamship *Swedish Prince*, for New York, with 7 cabin passengers for an intermediate port, with coffee cargo and no change in the crew personnel; on the same date the British steamship *Welsh Prince*, for New Orleans, in coffee cargo, with no passengers and no change in personnel; November 22, the British steamship *Ras-Bera*, for New Orleans, in coffee cargo, with no passengers and no change in personnel; November 24, the British steamship *Chaucer*, for New Orleans, in cargo of coffee, with no passengers and no change in the personnel of the crew; on the same date the Belgian steamship *Camoens*, for New York, with cargo of coffee, no passengers and no change in the crew personnel, and on the same date the British steamship *Hillglen*, for some southern port, via St. Lucia for orders, in water ballast, with no passengers and no change in the personnel of the crew.

*Mortality report, city of Rio de Janeiro, week ended November 22.* Total estimated population, 811,443. Total deaths, 413. No deaths nor cases reported due to yellow fever. Smallpox caused 116 deaths, with 210 new reported cases, of which number 58 were reported from